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PATENT APPLICATION

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Prior Application:

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CONTINUATION/DIVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(b)

SIR:

This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b) of prior Application Serial No. 08/572,481, filed on December 14, 1995, entitled System And Method For Transmitting A Displayable Message To A Short Message Entity In More Than One Data Package

Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-identified application:

1. ☒ Specification (Total Pages: 16)
2. ☒ Drawings (Total Sheets: 3)
3. ☒ Copy of "Declaration and Power of Attorney" from prior application (Total Pages: 3)
4. ☐ Newly executed "Declaration and Power of Attorney" (if adding inventors) (Total Pages:)
5. ☐ Newly executed "Assignment and Agreement" (if adding inventors) (Total Pages:)
6. ☒ Incorporation By Reference

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

7. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)

Signed statement attached (under 37 CFR § 1.63(d)(2)) deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application

8. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
9. ☒ Copy of "Extension of Time"

10. ☒ Other:

Proposed changes to drawings; Decision on Petition of Assignee; Patent Assignment; Power of attorney signed by Bruce S. Schneider; List of Patent Applications transferred to Lucent

11. ☒ Cancel the following original claims in the prior application before calculating the filing fee: 6, 8, 9, 12, 14-17, 23-26. (Appendix "D" of Patent Assignment)

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED AT No. 11 ABOVE				
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
Total Claims	14 - 20 =	0	x \$18 =	0
Independent Claims	3 - 3 =	0	x \$78 =	0
Multiple Dependent Claims(s), if applicable			+ \$260 =	
Basic Fee				\$690
			TOTAL FEE	\$690

12. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line this sentence:

This is a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional of Application Serial No. 08/572,481 filed on December 14, 1995, now U.S. Pat. No. 6,108,530

13. ☒ Preliminary Amendment

14. Amendment Fee:

☒ No additional fee is required.

☐ An additional amendment fee is calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For (from above)	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims for Fee Purposes		minus			x \$18	
Independent Claims		minus			x \$78	
Multiple Dependent Claim(s) first presented with this amendment, if applicable.					+ \$260	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:						

15. Please charge the total amount of \$ 690.00 to **Lucent Technologies Deposit Account No. 12-2325.**

Duplicate copies of this letter are enclosed. In the event of non-payment of improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit **Deposit Account No. 12-2325** as required to correct the error.

